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Applicant(s): Yoshimitsu ARAI, et al

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Examiner: Jeffrey J. Restifo

For: POWER TRANSMITTING DEVICE AND THE VEHICLE THEREOF

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicant is enclosing an Information Disclosure Citation Form (PTO-1449) which lists the references cited in the attached European Search Report mailed August 8, 2005.

It is believed that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement should be considered to have been cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. In any event, no fees are believed to be due because no office actions have yet issued for this case.

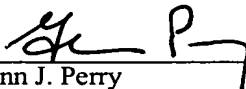
It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified patent application and that the cited documents be made officially of record therein. It is further requested that a listing of the same appear on the face of any patent which may issue from this application.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner initial and return a copy of the enclosed PTO-1449, and to indicate that the documents have been considered.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-4300, referencing Attorney Docket No. 032405.147

Respectfully submitted,

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